

What is claimed is:

1. An apparatus comprising an inflatable bouncer having an uninflated roof with an inner portion and a periphery, wherein the uninflated roof is supported at the 5 inner portion by an inflated column.
2. The apparatus of claim 1, further comprising an inflatable bottom section having a periphery and a central area, wherein the inflated column is coupled to the bottom section proximate the central area.
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3. The apparatus of claim 2, further comprising a plurality of inflatable, outer columns coupled proximate the periphery of the bottom section.
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4. The apparatus of claim 1, wherein the uninflated roof extends between the inner column and a plurality of outer columns.
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5. An inflatable comprising:
a circular, inflatable bottom section having a periphery and a central area;
an inflatable inner column coupled to the bottom section proximate the 20 central area and extending upward to a peak;
a plurality of inflatable, outer columns coupled proximate the periphery;
an upper support section coupled to a top of each of the outer columns;
a wall extending between the bottom section and the upper support section
and having a door; and
25 an uninflated roof attached to the inner column at a location below the peak
and supported by the inner column and the upper support section such that the
inflatable bouncer has the appearance of a carousel.

6. The inflatable of claim 5, further including silhouettes of animals on the mesh wall.
7. The inflatable of claim 5, wherein the inner column is attached at a center of
5 the bottom section.
8. The inflatable of claim 5, wherein the wall includes a mesh wall.
9. The inflatable of claim 5, wherein the inner column is taller than the each of
10 the outer columns.
10. An inflatable comprising:
an inflatable bottom section having a periphery and a central area;
an inflatable inner column coupled to the bottom section proximate the
15 central area;
a plurality of inflatable, outer columns coupled proximate the periphery; and
an uninflated roof attached to the inner column and extending generally
horizontally between the inner column and the outer columns such that the inflatable
bouncer has the appearance of a cake.
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11. The bouncer of claim 10, wherein a top portion of the inflatable inner
column includes one or more candle figures.
12. The bouncer of claim 10, including a wall extending between the roof and
25 the bottom section.

13. A method comprising supporting an uninflated roof having an inner portion and a periphery, wherein the roof is supported at the inner portion by an inflated column.
- 5 14. The method of claim 13, wherein the uninflated roof is further supported by extending the roof between the inflated column and a plurality of outer columns.
- 10 15. A method comprising:
 providing an inflatable bouncer having a bottom section, an inner column attached to the bottom section, and a plurality of outer columns attached around a periphery of the bottom section; and
 extending an uninflated roof between the inner column and the outer columns.
- 15 16. The method of claim 15, wherein extending includes attaching the roof to the inner column and the outer columns.
- 20 17. The method of claim 15, wherein extending includes attaching the roof to the inner column and to a support section which is attached to an upper portion of the outer columns.